

**AMERICAN POSTAL WORKERS  
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## GENERAL UNION MEETING - ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS

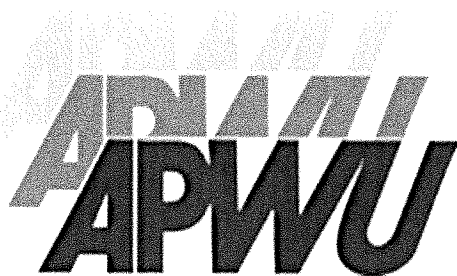
Date of Meeting: Sunday, March 23, 2025

Submitted By: Sabriela Rosendo

Start Time: 10 AM

End Time: 12:13 PM

STATUS	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	POSITION
<u>Present</u>	Crespo	Vicente	President (P&DC)
<u>Present</u>	Brazee	Lloyd	Vice President/ Director of Maintenance (P&DC)
<u>Present</u>	Ellison	Charles	Treasurer Secretary (P&DC)
<u>Present</u>	Rosendo	Sabriela	Recording Secretary/Clerk Steward, T3(P&DC)
<u>Present</u>	Afolabi	Ayobola	Clerk Craft Director (P&DC)
<u>Absent</u>	Wesley	Carpenter	P&DC, Director of Motor Vehicles & Vehicle Maintenance Facility
<u>Present</u>	Souza	Adam	Director of Organization (P&DC)
			Legislative Director
<u>Present</u>	Main	Brandon	Building Director (Union Hall) P&DC
<u>Present</u>	Avila	Brian	Trustee /Steward
<u>Present</u>	Jones	Thomas	Trustee (P&DC)
<u>Excused</u>	Gaiter	Rayshelle	P&DC-Clerk Steward, T1/Trustee
<u>Retired</u>	Howarth	Kim	P&DC-Alternate Clerk Steward T1
<u>Absent</u>	Poole	Steve	P&DC-Alternate Clerk Steward T1
<u>Present</u>	Moronta	Aliris	P&DC-Clerk Steward, T2
<u>Absent</u>	Burke	Victor	029-Customer Service Steward
<u>Excused</u>	Howard	Dejarbrina	029- Customer Service Steward, T2
<u>Absent</u>	Cook	Jessica	028-Pawtucket, Clerk Steward
<u>Absent</u>	Chiaradio	Andrea	028-Wakefield Clerk Steward
<u>Excused</u>	Soares	Edward	P&DC- Maintenance Craft Director
<u>Present</u>	Lacross	William	P&DC-MVS Steward, T2
<u>Absent</u>	Coughlin	Michael	P&DC- MVS Steward, T2
<u>Present</u>	Kline	William	P&DC- VMF Steward & MVS Alternate Steward, T2



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## **MINUTES TO MEETING 2025**

Meeting call to order by **PRESIDENT VICENTE CRESPO** on **SUNDAY MARCH 23,2025**, at **10am**. First, The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag takes place, after a Moment of Silence and then roll call of Officers will be taken. (a quorum was established).

- Number of Members in Attendance: Nineteen (19)

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### **OFFICERS EXCUSED:**

RAYSHELLE GAITER  
DEJARBRINA HOWARD  
EDWARD SOARES

### **ABSENT:**

WESLEY CARPENTER  
STEVE POOLE  
VICTOR BURKE  
MICHAEL COUGHLIN

ANDREA CHIARADIO  
JESSICA COOK

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Local President Vicente Crespo informed the members in attendance that the minutes from the SUNDAY FEBRUARY 23,2025 meeting were available for review and presented as-is for acceptance.

The Local Members in attendance motioned to accept the minutes as presented.

The motion was seconded by all members in attendance and passed.

### **SECRETARY TREASURER'S REPORT: CHARLES ELLISON**

Local Secretary-Treasurer Charles Ellison informed the members in attendance that the Union Financial Report for February 01- March 23,2025 was available on the table for review.

### **MOTION:**

A motion was made to accept the Union Financial Report as is.

Seconded by: Majority of members in attendance.

Local President Vicente Crespo restated the motion and called for a vote:

"All in favor, say 'Aye'; those opposed, say 'No'."

**The Ayes have it, and the motion was passed.**

- All finance payments are up to date.
- All accounts are in good standing.
- Any member interested in reviewing the financial report is welcome to do so.
- LM2: Working with accountant to ensure accuracy and timely submission.

### **PRESIDENT'S REPORT: VICENTE CRESPO**

- Thank you for sending Vice President Lloyd Brazee and me to the National Presidents' Conference.
- The APWU Collective Bargaining Agreement: The new contract is still pending.
- The Union Hall fence issue is ongoing. Brandon Main will gather quotes for building a fence at the Union Hall.
- USPS Mail Update: Mail delivery will be delayed by 3-7 days.
- Some employees are retiring.

### **VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT: LLOYD BRAZEE**

- Thank you for sending us to the National Presidents' Conference.
- Management has one year to send mechanics for training in Oklahoma.
- The Flexible Spending Account is now being handled by a new company.
- The Federal Retirement Fairness Act has been reintroduced, allowing employees the option to buy back time worked as a non-career employee to count toward retirement. However, the bill has not yet been passed.

### **MAINTENANCE CRAFT DIRECTOR'S REPORT: EDWARD SORES**

- EXCUSED.

### **CLERK CRAFT DIRECTOR'S REPORT: AYOBOLA AFOLABI**

- All employees must complete PS Form 3971 upon returning to work after an absence.
- Reversions are in progress and currently in the grievance process.

### **MVS/VMF CRAFT DIRECTOR'S REPORT: WESLEY CARPENTER**

- ABSENT.

### **DIRECTOR OF ORGANIZATION REPORT: ADAM SOUZA**

- The following events are all set:  
May Breakfast - May 03,2025  
Summer BBQ – July 26,2025  
Halloween – October 2025

### **UNION HALL BUILDING MANAGER REPORT: BRANDON MAIN**

- Nothing to report.

## **TRUSTEE(S) REPORT:**

- **THOMAS JONES:**

50/50 has been updated.

- **RAYSHELLE GAITER:**

EXCUSED.

- **BRIAN AVILA:**

Nothing to report.

## **OLD BUSINESS:**

- The members were informed about the location of the Christmas party for adults, as this year the children's and adults' parties will be held on different dates. The children's party will be on December 06, 2025, and the adults' party will be on December 13, 2025. The location is yet to be determined, will it be at the Union Hall or elsewhere?

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

### **1. Original Motion:**

**Union Hall Building Manager Brandon Main moved to reduce the existing 50/50 drawing from two drawings per meeting to one drawing per meeting for \$100, and to reduce the donation to one donation of up to \$100.**

**Seconded by:** The majority of members in attendance.

**Amendment (by Local President Vicente Crespo):**

**Local President Vicente Crespo proposes an amendment to the pending motion:**

**50/50 — Two drawings of \$75 and two drawings for donations of \$75.**

**Seconded by:** The majority of members in attendance

Discussion on the amendment motion.

### **Vote on Amendment:**

Local Vice President Lloyd Brazee restated the motion as amended:

50/50 — Two drawings of \$75 and two drawings for donations of \$75.

Local Vice President Lloyd Brazee called for a vote:

"All in favor, say 'Aye'; those opposed, say 'No'."

**The Ayes have it, and the motion is passed.**

- 2. The Membership was informed about sending the Local President and Vice President to The National Presidents Conference in Charlotte, North Carolina from June 20-23,2025, with all necessary expenses covered.**

**MOTION:**

Local Treasurer Secretary Charles Ellison moved to send the Local President and Vice President to The National Presidents Conference in Charlotte, North Carolina from June 20-23,2025, with all necessary expenses covered.

Seconded by: Majority of members in attendance.

Local President Vicente Crespo restated the motion and called for a vote:

"All in favor, say 'Aye'; those opposed, say 'No'."

**The Ayes have it, and the motion is passed.**

**3. Original Motion:**

**Local Union member Michael E. Pierce moved to make a donation of \$100 to the Pasta Buffet Fundraiser for cancer therapy.**

**Seconded by:** The majority of members in attendance.

**Amendment (by Local President Vicente Crespo):**

**Local President Vicente Crespo proposed an amendment to increase the donation to \$250.**

**Seconded by:** The majority of members in attendance.

Discussion on the Amendment Motion.

**Vote on Amendment:**

Local Vice President Lloyd Brazee restated the motion as amended:  
Donation of \$250 to the Pasta Buffet Fundraiser for cancer therapy.

Local Vice President Lloyd Brazee called for a vote:

"All in favor, say 'Aye'; those opposed, say 'No'."

**The Ayes have it, and the motion is passed.**

- 4. Local Union retiree Janice Pagliaro moved to hold the adults Christmas party at the Union Hall, with hired staff to set up, serve and clean on December 13,2025, separate from the children's Christmas party, with all necessary expenses covered.**

Seconded by: Majority of members in attendance.

Local President Vicente Crespo restated the motion and called for a vote:

"All in favor, say 'Aye'; those opposed, say 'No'."

**The Ayes have it, and the motion is passed.**

**GOOD AND WELFARE:**

- None.

**POSTAL PULSE:**

MICHAEL J. CORSI  
VINCENT P. FLORIO

**CHARITY DONATIONS:**

- None.

**50/50 CLUB:**

(100) SCOTT NICOLL  
(73) ROSEMARY DUNN

**DOOR PRIZE:**

- None.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

With no further business on this date, Local Union Hall Building Manager Brandon Main motioned to adjourn meeting.

Seconded by: All members in attendance.

Motion passed, and the meeting was adjourned at 12:13 PM.

*Respectfully Submitted,*

***Sabriela Rosendo***  
***Recording Secretary***  
***APWU – Local 387***